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THE VERY BEST AT A LITTLE LESS

Lushus Jellies
assorted, true fruit flavors
3 packages **25c**
Sheriffs Jellies
assorted, 12-oz jars **25c**
Marmalade
Sheriff's Seville Orange
4-lb tins **57c**
Pure Jam
Strawberry, 4-lb tin **53c**
Jelly
Crabapple, 4-lb tin **48c**
Pure Bramble, " **55c**

Fruit Deal

1 can Loganberries, 1 can
Blackberries, 1 can pitted
Cherries, 3 tins for **55c**
This is dessert fruit, like
home preserved.

Kellogg's Flakes

Whole Wheat, pkt **11c**
Wheat Krispies, " **11c**
Quaker or Sugar Crisp
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Quick Quaker with cup and
saucer, pkg **25c**

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fection, a pound **25c**

Sugar Mixed

Candy, lb **20c**

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Coffee

Malkin's Best Dated **35c**

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Tea Special

Victoria Cross, strong and
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Vanilla

Sheriff's Silver 2-oz **10c**
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Halliday & Laut

PHONE 9

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Softball Bats, 50c to 1.75
Fielders Gloves, 1.50 to 6.50
Junior Baseball Mitts **3.25**
Ace Tennis Racquets, a quality
racquet **5.00**
Scholar Racquets, a good
beginners racquet **3.50**
Victoria Racquets, strong and
well made **4.00**
Sissenger Tennis Balls **.50**
Henco " " **.35**

Wm. Laut

Today's Thought

Somebody did a golden deed;
Somebody proved a friend in
need;
Somebody sang a beautiful
song;
Somebody thought, "Tis sweet
to live";
Somebody said, "I'm glad to
give";
Somebody fought a valiant
fight;
Somebody lived to shield the
right;
Was that "somebody" you?

Distressing Accident

Lake and Ramsay Parsons
Receive Bodily Injuries

Lake Parsons and his son Ram-
say were badly injured Saturday
while drilling a well on the
W. Thome farm. The condition
of the latter necessitated his re-
moval to the General Hospital at
Calgary.

A distressing accident occurred
at the Thome farm last Saturday,
April 25th, when Lake Parsons
and his son were injured while
well drilling.

During the course of opera-
tions, Ramsay's left sleeve became
entangled in the gears of the wheel
on the main shaft pulling him
around the shaft, causing damage
to chest, side and arm. In attempt-
ing to stop the machinery by
throwing off the belt, Lake Par-
sons was hurled some fifteen feet,
breaking his arm. A second at-
tempt was made by Lake, in his
crippled condition, which was
successful and the machine stop-
ped.

Dr. Whillans was immediately
summoned to the scene; and upon
examination ordered Ramsey to
the Hospital at Calgary. A call
was put in for Roys Ambulance
and the injured men taken to the
General at Calgary.

After having the fracture set
Lake was permitted to leave the
hospital.

The sympathy of his friends and
the whole community goes out to
Ramsey at this recovery, and the wish
for a speedy recovery.

Oh to be a Councillor

We often wonder what prompts
a man to permit himself to be
cajoled into serving a municipal
council. It is certainly not the
remuneration; it is certainly not
the prestige attached to the office,
for an otherwise quiet, inoffensive
good-living citizen becomes a social
outcast, according to many and
the butt of every wit and jester in
the district whenever he becomes
a councillor. If he drags roads in
the summer he is spending too
much money; if he doesn't lack
of initiative and interest is broad-
cast far and wide. If he opens
roads for winter travel, he's a fool,
if he doesn't belong to an age
and generation which should have
no place in our modern up-and-
going world.—The Alliance Times

NOTICE

All Premises and Lanes in the
Village of Crossfield must be clean-
ed up by May 4th, 1936.

By Order
Village Council

"Howdy, Half the Road Is Yours."

A dilapidated old car rattled
merrily along the highway. It was
a "Lizzie," piloted by a chin-whis-
kered old fellow of the type that
usually takes the part of a constab-
le in the movies.

On his windshield he had plas-
tered a little sign in bold-faced
type: "Howdy, half the road is
yours."

That was O.K. with us—we had
seen so many automobiles whose
drivers wanted to take the whole
road.

"Half the road is yours!" What
a pretty sentiment that conveys,
and what a fine phrase it is if lived
up to; not only on the roads of
travel, but on the roads of life.

THOUGHTS.

A man who has a good product
and doesn't advertise is like a
fellow winking at a pretty girl in a
dark room; he knows what he's
doing but he's not selling her the
idea.

The only excuse for any job is
the opportunity it offers to supply
the needs of others; if the holder
alone is benefited the job is merely
a pension.

There are four "I's" in individu-
ality. They stand for industry, in-
telligence, initiative and imagina-
tion. Not inertia, ignorance and
intolerance.

If the next war is really fought
on a non-profit basis, there won't
be any.

The three great passions in
Canadian history:

The passing of the buff lo;
The passing of the Indian;
The passing of the buck.

The trouble with a lot of men
who spout so profusely about capi-
tal and labour is that they never
had the capital and never did
much labour.

Briefs.

The Childrens Big Annual Event

School Fair garden seeds have
now been distributed to the vari-
ous teachers, and pupils should
see to it that they get their share.

In addition to the Sweet Pea
class, for which seed is included in
the above, there will be a class for
Asters (six spikes), also Snapdrag-
ons (six spikes), which may be
grown from pupils own seed.

Secretary May still has a few
copies of the 1936 Supplement on
hand for those who have not yet
had one, and rural pupils are re-
minded that the Livestock classes
will be the same as other years,
that is, three classes for Beef
calves, namely, Pure-bred, Grade
and Fall-fed, will also be held.

Now is the time for all you boys

Life is filled with strife and
struggle, and often the fellow who
sneaks just a little bit ahead is in-
clined to crowd the rest of his
fellows off the road—and, maybe,
wreck his "machine" by forcing it
over an embankment, and there
are many embankments and trea-
cherous places in the roads of life—
just as there are in the roads of
travel.

Whether skimming over the
highways of travel or bouncing
along the roads of life, it seems to
us that the little placard the "con-
stable" had pasted to his wind-
shield told the whole story. If we
are to enjoy life to its fullest
measures, there isn't a better slogan
to go by. —"Tick Talk"

The Ultimate Purchasers Tax Act

The Ultimate Purchasers Tax
Act passed at the recent session of
the Legislature, comes into force
on May 1st, 1936.

On and after that date every
purchaser will be required to pay a
tax of two per cent; on the pur-
chase price of all commodities, ex-
cept certain commodities exempt
by the Act and Regulations, pur-
chased for his own use or consump-
tion.

The vendor is required to collect
the tax on behalf of the Govern-
ment of the Province from the
purchasers at the time of sale, and
it will therefore be necessary for all
vendors in the Province to be re-
gistered with the Sales Tax Branch.

Returns to Crossfield

Ed Meyers returned to the fold on
Sunday morning. Ed has been visit-
ing with his brothers at Polson, Montana.
Owing to poor roads he did not take
a chance on motoring, but travelled by the
old reliable—the C.P.R.

and girls to get busy on the things
you intend to show, and not leave
everything until the last day or
two. Remember, it is not only the
prizes you win but the knowl-
edge you gain by doing these
things yourselves that makes a
School Fair worthwhile. This is
YOUR Fair, to be as good or
otherwise, as YOU make it.

It would be appreciated if chil-
dren who have left school and still
have a School Fair Bulletin in
their possession would return
them to the teacher so that they
may be used by the younger chil-
dren as it is impossible to obtain
any more.

Let us all pull together and try
and make this year's Fair BIGGER
and BETTER than ever.

Three Gates

If you are tempted to reveal
A tale to you some one has
told
About another, make it pass,
Before you speak, three gates
of gold,
These narrow gates: First, "Is
it true?"
Then, "Is it needful?" In your
mind.
Give truthful answer. And
the next
Is last and narrowest. "Is it
kind?"
And if to reach your lips at
last
It passes through these gate-
ways three.
Then you may tell the tale,
nor fear
What the result of speech
may be.
—(From the Arabian)

West Hope Y.P.S.

Play Huge Success
By "Classical"

The West Hope Young People
presented their play "Aunt Saman-
thy Rules the Roost" in the Mad-
den Hall Wednesday, April 15th,
to a large and very appreciative
crowd.

Greta Steuart took the role of
"Aunt Samanth", a man-hating,
eccentric, old maid who owns a
chicken farm and frightens away
all suitors from her nieces, Serena
and Sophie, played by Myrtle Os-
mond and Kate Leask respectively.
Sophie writes "Love messages on
the eggs." Polly the maid, por-
trayed by Marian Ingham, buys
some love powders to give to
Buddy Baskins, the grocery boy,
impersonated by Ronny Baker.
Buddy does not return Polly's
affections. Into some lemonade
Polly puts the powders, which is
intended for Buddy, but unfortu-
nately Aunt Samanth and Lucien
Littlefield, a widower, and a rival
in the Mayoralty Election, were
the first to partake of the lemon-
ade. Then the fun begins for the
powders really work. Alfred
Klitze took the role of Lucien
Littlefield.

Wilfred Simmons, at Lawrence
Lovell, a fortune hunter, comes
in answer to one of the egg mes-
sages.

Annie and Blanch, two old
maids of the town, also taste the
lemonade, and this act makes them
set their caps at Lucien, and their
antics brought forth peals of
laughter from the audience. Frances
Smylie and Leona Parsons por-
trayed these roles.

Jim Leask and Bert Howel, as
Blair Boswell and Frank Fairfield,
suitors of the nieces, were con-
stantly kept in hot water by Aunt
Samanthy.

The play in itself was a huge
success, and much credit goes to
Mr. Parsons who helped manage it.

The players, each one, are to be
congratulated on the pleasure they
gave their audience, and each one
comes in for high praise for the
capable way they handled their
respective roles.

Mrs. Justina Paulina Hehn.

Funeral Services for the late
Mrs. Justina Paulina Hehn, 71
years of age, who died after a long
illness, at her home, Irricana,
on April 25th, were held from the
Crossfield United Church on Wed-
nesday afternoon with interment
in the Crossfield cemetery. Rev.
W. A. Raedeke of Calgary officiat-
ing.

WEEK END SPECIALS

Coffee
Malkin's Best, Date
Stamped, lb. **35c**
Dried Fruit
Mixed 2 lbs. **35c**
Corn
Golden Bantam
Squat, 2 tins **25c**
Aylmer White **14c**

Maple Syrup
Old Colony
16-oz jug **35c**

Tomato Juice
Heinz, 2 tins **25c**

Raisins
Seedless, 2-lb. **29c**

Catsup
Tomato, tin **12c**

Hall's Soup
Chicken, tin **08c**

Salmon
Fry Red, 2 tins **35c**

Corned Beef
Per tin **14c**

Fry's Hot Chocolate
1-lb tin **48c**

Castile Soap
2-lb bar **23c**

Oranges
per doz. **30c**

Lemons
per doz. **40c**

Crossfield U.F.A. Store

Spring Is the Ideal Time to Paint

Remember Sherwin
Williams BIG SALE
April 22nd to May 2nd
inclusive.

A Genuine Saving
on Genuine Goods. No
coupons required.

You can't buy better,
so why pay more?

Call in and discuss
your painting problems
with us.

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Phone 34 Crossfield

CHURCHILL WARNS THE SITUATION IS REACHING CLIMAX

London.—Charging Germany had spent \$4,000,000,000 on armaments in 1935 alone, Winston Churchill, with a peroration which held the House of Commons spellbound, concluded his speech in the budget debate with a warning that Europe was approaching a climax.

"I believe that climax," he declared amid tense silence, "will be reached in the lifetime of the present parliament. Either there will be a melting of hearts and a joining of hands between the great nations, which will release for us a glorious era and the age of prosperity which is now within the grasp of millions of toiling people, or there will be an explosion—a catastrophe, the cost of which no imagination can measure and beyond which no human eye can see."

"I believe also that a strongly armed Britain, resolutely and valiantly led, seeking nothing but peace, but ready to run risks for peace, may conceivably turn the dread scale, between a blessing and a cursing of mankind."

He sat down amidst loud cheers from the crowded benches.

The additional \$100,000,000 provided in the budget for bolstering the country's defences, Churchill declared at the outset of his speech, "proclaims the failure and inadequacy of our defence efforts this year." He went on to make striking allegations regarding Germany's armament expansion.

From the most reliable sources, Churchill told the house, he had learned that from the end of March, 1933, to the end of June, 1935, there was an increase in the German public debt of a minimum of 7,000,000,000 marks. To this must be added the yield of increased taxation, amounting to a further 5,000,000,000 marks. Therefore, he went on, the minimum expenditure for the 2½ years over current budget expenditure was 12,000,000,000 marks.

Coming To Vancouver

Lord Mayor Of London Has Accepted Invitation.

London.—Sir Percy Vincent, Lord Mayor of London, announces he had accepted an invitation to visit Vancouver in connection with the celebration this summer by that city of its golden jubilee of the granting of its charter.

The Lord Mayor in the course of his visit will unveil a statue to Captain Vancouver, founder of the British Columbia city. He also will visit Ottawa on his journey across Canada.

Sir Percy informed the corporation of the city of London he had accepted the invitation sent him by Vancouver civic authorities with the consent of the king.

He added he had received the cordial endorsement of Prime Minister Mackenzie King and that he had also discussed the matter with the Dominion Secretary, Malcolm Macdonald.

Upholds Right Of Doctor

Judge Rules Opinion On Scientific Facts Can Be Expressed

Winnipeg.—Ruling that a physician has the right to express an opinion on scientific facts, Justice T. Dennistoun, in Manitoba Court of King's Bench directed St. Boniface hospital to pay three months' additional salary to Dr. Omer G. Hague, Chief medical officer at the institution.

Dr. Hague was given a month's salary and dismissed from his post last November for expressing an opinion on "mercy deaths." His claim for a year's salary was only partly allowed in the judgment announced.

Thanks For Sympathy

Ottawa.—Messages from King Edward and Queen Mary to the parliament of Canada were read in the House of Commons by Speaker Pierre Casgrain. They expressed thanks for the messages of sympathy sent by parliament on the occasion of the death of the late King George.

Egypt plans to improve its airports near Cairo and Alexandria.

To Meet Defence Program

Extra Expense Means Higher Taxes For British People

London.—Neville Chamberlain's fifth budget, providing for increased taxes to meet the government's vast defence program, was generally received by the press as unexpectedly severe, but was accepted with Spartan resignation and approval of the orthodox decision to meet the whole of the increased expenditure from revenue.

Commentators related the proposals received a gloomy reception in the house, where it was apparent many Conservatives hoped the chancellor of the exchequer would raise the defence loan earlier than now planned, while others considered the chancellor would have been wiser to suspend the sinking fund rather than increase taxation at a time when industry is recovering.

A majority of morning newspapers agreed, however, it was best to bring home to the country the real meaning of the defence program.

Besides raising the income tax, the chancellor increased the duty on tea by two pence per pound, an increase of 50 per cent. A duty on imported lager beer was also proposed. As a concession to small-income groups the income tax exemption for married men was raised from £170 to £180 and the exemption for each child increased from £50 to £60.

Highway Construction

Tenders Called For Work On Alberta Roads

Edmonton.—Hon. W. A. Fallow, Minister of public works, announced that tenders had been called for the construction of a 26-mile standard grade and gravel highway from Lethbridge to Iron Springs, via Picture Butte. It would provide an outlet for the new sugar factory in that area, he said.

Mr. Fallow said that 31 miles of "blotter," or oil-coating, and 15 miles of "seal" coating on the highways between Calgary and Banff would be completed by July 1, thus completing a hard-surface road from Calgary to Banff park boundary.

Also planned for later in the year is hard-surfacing of the Calgary-Oakoks highway.

Fifty miles of road on the Calgary-Edmonton highway south from this city to Westsaskin will be rebuilt "as it is falling apart." Twelve miles of this would be over new ground so as to eliminate "Death Crouching," a level railway crossing, scene of several fatal accidents.

End Of Dry Cycle

United States Weather Men Speculate On Drought Conditions

Washington.—Weather bureau experts speculated on the possibility the United States' 25-year drought cycle had ended, but with the reservation that "only time can tell."

The weekly weather bulletin said drought conditions were severe in Oklahoma and that western Kansas was "still extremely dry." Little or no rain fell in Arkansas and rain-falls brought temporary relief from dry weather in Texas.

But nevertheless, the scientists said they were wondering whether the country might be entering a cycle classed as "cold and wet."

About this stage a year ago, it was said, the scientists had little reason to believe the cycle was ending and the indications were dry weather might continue.

But the last winter was classed as decidedly wet and cold over most areas, causing speculation over the end of the dry cycle.

Study Atrocity Charges

League Of Nations Will Investigate Acts Of Barbarism

London.—Anthony Eden, foreign secretary, in answer to queries from the Labor benches in the House of Commons, said the League of Nations had inaugurated a "careful study of atrocity charges by Italy and of Ethiopian counter-charges that the Italians have been using gun in the war between the two countries."

"I think it is very important we should distinguish between individual acts of barbarism and alleged actions by the high command or by a government," Eden said. He assured the house the cabinet was prepared to press on with the sanctions program against Italy in a determined effort to uphold the ideal of collective security. He stressed that the British attitude was in no way to be construed as deliberately anti-Italian.

BRAVE RESCUE IN MINE DISASTER CANADIAN EPIC

Moose River, N.S.—Victors over 240 hours of hunger, exposure and dread in a cavern far below the earth's surface, Dr. D. Edwin Robertson and Alfred Scadding came up the twisting trail from the Moose River gold mine's caved-in pit.

They were carried out on stretchers borne by Draegermen, who for 10 days had striven downward through rock and rubble to cleave a path to the men entombed when the sides of a shaft caved in late Easter Sunday night.

As soon as the miners turned Dr. Robertson and Scadding over to the hands of physicians, they dared the mine again. In the black cavern they picked up the body of Herman Magill, 30-year-old partner of Dr. Robertson in the mining venture that lured the men underground.

They carried it reverently to the surface. Men who had spared neither nerve nor muscle through the long days and nights of digging, blasting, drilling—hope and disappointment, and final triumph—cast aside any reluctance to handle the three-day corpse and completed their task.

Dr. Robertson, after being carried through the rescue tunnel from the prison to the old disused Reynolds' shaft from which the rescuers cut across, crawled much of the way up to the surface on his hands and knees, said Jack Simpson, captain of the rescue crew.

He said Dr. Robertson and Scadding were on the north side of the 141-foot level beside the skip or trolley which operated from depths to the surface. It was apparently the same spot to which they had jumped to safety when the cave-in occurred.

"It was about seven feet wide and 12 feet high but I don't know how long. It was very wet and damp. There were no signs of ladders." (Mentioned by the men in conversations with the surface during their imprisonment).

As soon as the Draegermen broke through, Minister of Health Dr. R. Davis followed and examined the two men.

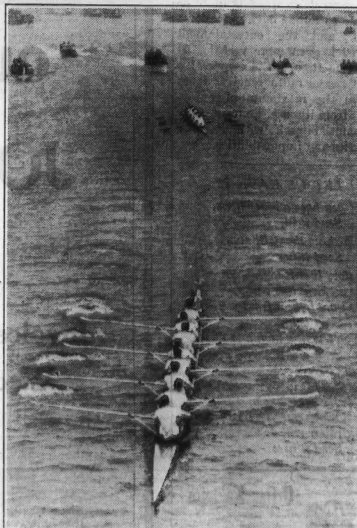
Dr. Robertson is 62 years old. Just once in 10 days food had come down through the slender shaft of a drill-hole. But he was indomitable.

Scadding was in worse shape. Magill was the doctor's business partner. The Draegermen didn't want to talk about it, but they said Dr. Robertson and Scadding had been unable to look at the huddled body of their companion as they were taken from the cavern toward light and life.

"Good boys where are you from?" the doctor queried as the gold-miners of Goldenville and the coal-diggers of Stellarton broke into the shattered stoep.

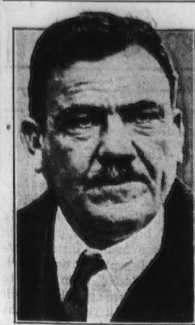
"Take it easy boys," Scadding said. Then began the crouching, crawling ascent to the surface where the

OXFORD TRAILS CAMBRIDGE IN FAMOUS ANNUAL



Although Oxford put up a good fight in the first two miles of the annual boat race with Cambridge University, it soon became a procession, with the Light Blues leading the way by five lengths and staying there. Our picture shows Cambridge leading Oxford at Barnes Bridge.

EXILED



Former President Calles of Mexico who has been forced into exile by the Lefist Government. Calles, whose 11-year rule of turbulent Mexican politics once won him the title of "strong man" was placed aboard a Texas-bound airplane with three of his followers.

ambulance of a medical unit waited to care for the resurrected men.

Draegermen George Morrell walked to the drill hole through which Dr. Robertson and Scadding had talked with the surface. Triumphant, he cut the telephone wire.

The first stretcher came up bearing the doctor on the last lap of the journey. A great cheer went up.

Ten days' growth of beard stood out from Dr. Robertson's and Scadding's drawn pale faces. They had lost pounds of weight.

The diamond drill hole reached them at a spot where water was dripping swiftly from above, and they had to climb ladders to reach its mouth. They were unwilling to risk pneumonia from the water and were too exhausted to climb the ladders to get food.

But in spite of that Dr. Robertson was in marvellous condition. "Why, the doctor walked out of the mine and into his own room and demanded a big meal of beef steak," joked Dr. Ed. Gallie, a life-long friend, in his relief to find Dr. Robertson so well.

Bill Will Be Reviewed

Suggestion To Remonetize Silver Through Bank Of Canada

Ottawa.—A bill to remonetize silver through the Bank of Canada was introduced in the House of Commons by Thomas Reid (Lib., New Westminster). Speaker Casgrain said he would review it to see if it came within the competence of a private member.

Under the Reid Bill the bank would be empowered to add silver to its currency reserve in the same way as gold. The bank then would issue silver certificates against the silver. In addition, the bank would have power to purchase newly-mined silver on instructions of the finance minister.

Defending Law And Order

Great Britain Is Keeping An Eye On Palestine

London.—Great Britain will defend law and order in Palestine at all costs and will not be deterred by racial rioting or threats of any kind, J. H. Thomas, secretary for the colonies, told the House of Commons.

"Maintenance of law and order is a matter exclusively for His Majesty's government and will be enforced against anyone breaking the law," he said.

Mr. Thomas gave the official list of casualties in recent Palestinian disorders as 16 Jews and five Arabs killed, 75 Jews and 72 Arabs injured.

(Unofficial estimates in Jerusalem ranged somewhat higher, with 17 Jews and 12 Arabs reported dead.)

Britain exercises rigid control over arms imports into Palestine, he assured the house.

"No firearms or ammunition may be imported into Palestine except on a non-transferable permit from the district commissioner, who may at his discretion refuse it," Mr. Thomas declared.

HEAVY PUBLIC WORKS PROGRAM IN ESTIMATES

Ottawa.—Expenditures of nearly \$60,000,000 in works projects of all descriptions throughout the Dominion are authorized for the current fiscal year, in supplementary estimates brought down in the House of Commons by Finance Minister Dunning.

In addition the minister is making provision for the monthly relief grants-in-aid to the provinces totalling \$26,000,000 for the year ending March 31, 1937, and for a maximum deficit of \$39,900,000 in the Canadian National Railway system for the calendar year 1936.

The total amount in the supplementary estimates is \$124,748,743, of which \$11,000,000 is amount estimated as the Canadian National deficit will go to providing employment or relief. Authorization also is provided for loans to the railways totalling \$6,412,400 to enable them to pay their share of cost of maintenance work designed to take care of those in camps for single homeless men and to complete the equipment buying program started under the Supplementary Public Works Act of 1935.

In estimates provision is made for completion of a number of projects started by the late government and \$30,413,341 is to be voted for that purpose. New projects will take \$28,430,401.

Prairie provinces conservation will be given particular attention with \$184,000 to be voted for that purpose, while farm settlement and rehabilitation will take \$2,500,000 more.

Expenditures in national parks will run to more than \$1,600,000, including \$140,000 for establishment of new parks in the maritime provinces.

The last government's program of intensified geological surveys to uncover new mineral resources will be completed at a cost of \$150,000, and extended this year by at least \$200,000.

Relief works carried on by the Dominion and provinces under cost-sharing agreements will require \$7,045,000 of federal money for completion of projects now under way, and it is proposed to spend \$9,200,000 more for this purpose.

Completion of projects already started and new projects planned by the national harbors board will take more than \$6,000,000, while new and old projects of the department of national defence will require \$5,317,000. The department will have the biggest spending bill with \$19,545,115 appropriated, and public works will spend a total of \$14,956,585. All these estimates are considered of an emergency character and are in addition to the regular estimates which were brought down at the beginning of the session, amounting to \$384,427,548.

In furtherance of the government's efforts to assist and develop mining it is proposed to spend \$1,500,000 in providing transportation facilities into the mining areas.

Fisheries will be added to the extent of \$500,000, of which \$300,000 is to co-operate with the provinces in assisting needy fishermen, and \$200,000 to be spent toward expanding markets for Canadian fishery products at home and abroad.

CANADA'S WHEAT SALES EXPECTED TO BE INCREASED

Ottawa.—In the face of a combination of circumstances giving rise to a pessimistic outlook on the world wheat market, the Dominion bureau of statistics monthly report finds reason to believe that Canada, with two-thirds of the total exportable supply of wheat, soon will be supplying a higher percentage of world demand.

Australia's exportable surplus has been reduced to 30,000,000 bushels and the prices have risen to a premium above most Canadian grades, the report says, and growing crop conditions in important European countries were less favorable than a year ago.

During the past month crop prospects had been reduced in Spain, Italy, Germany and the Balkan states. Hot, dry weather had persisted in North African countries that are counted upon by France and Italy to supply their domestic wheat deficiencies. Low temperatures had been harmful in Russia and the official forecast of the United States winter wheat crop issued April 10 was lower than expected.

Pessimism as to the world picture had arisen from the lack of either continuity or breadth in world demand, the report continued. Minor factors discouraging an enthusiastic outlook were the continued provision of export supplies by European countries, scarcity of foreign exchange, possibility of an exportable surplus in United States in 1936-37 and a repeated forecast of increased 1936 acreage in Australia.

Total Expenditure High

Unemployment Relief Cost Canada \$45,820,530 During Fiscal Year

Ottawa.—Total disbursements of the Dominion government in connection with unemployment relief, for the fiscal year which ended March 31, was \$45,820,530, according to the annual report of Harry Harford, Dominion commissioner of unemployment relief. The report was tabled by Labor Minister Norman Rogers in the House of Commons.

Grants-in-aid to the provinces accounted for \$25,774,675 of the expenditure, while money spent on Dominion undertakings totalled \$7,608,078. The government spent \$6,587,294 on the trans-Canada highway, the remainder being distributed among other provincial highways undertakings, municipal works and miscellaneous activities.

The report shows that in January, the last month for which figures are available, a total of 1,232,390 persons received relief in Canada. These included heads of families and dependents.

A summary of relief legislation since the 1930 act indicated that in the six years the Dominion had spent \$294,538,007 on unemployment relief. In addition to this a total of \$126,303,523 had been loaned to the four western provinces and the Canadian Pacific Railway. These loans were still outstanding. The C.P.R.'s portion was small, \$2,447,222.

Would Block Italian Ships

Closing Suez Canal Was Suggested In British House

London.—Geoffrey Mander, grandson of the late H. N. Paine of Halifax, suggested in the House of Commons that Britain stop the Italo-Ethiopian war by closing the Suez Canal to Italian vessels.

Replying, Viscount Cranborne, under-secretary for foreign affairs, said such action would be "heroic, but is not collective and would not meet the present crisis."

Mander further suggested Britain should withdraw from the League of Nations if France refuses to participate in new sanctions against Italy.

Prayer Of Thanksgiving

Halifax.—A prayer of thanksgiving rose from the historic speaker's seat in the Nova Scotia legislature while members bowed their heads and thanked God for the deliverance of two men from their underground cell at the Moose River gold mine after 10 days' imprisonment.

Sugar Refinery For Manitoba

Winnipeg.—Manitoba's first sugar-beet refinery will be located at Morris, construction of the plant getting under way this summer, Louis Veillard of Veillardville, Sask., said here. The Manitoba government, he said, will guarantee the refinery's bonds.

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Between Ourselves

The Chronicle brought to the attention of the public over a year ago that the hole in the street which formerly held the storage gasoline tank of Wood's garage causes in wet weather a miniature lake. The concrete base is stilling where it was left causing an eyesore to passers by. It is time these matters were attended to by the Council and the corner of Osler and Main made more presentable.

The Osler and Main Corner is becoming more and more unsightly each day and the building (Old Service 'Garage') at the corner more dilapidated, and a daily eyesore to the community and the travelling public. This building could be made into something that would benefit the Community as a whole if some enterprising men could get together and put over the project. It could be purchased cheap and with some renovating made into a business block, a hall or theatre.

Congratulations are in order to the entire teaching staff of the local school who obtained 'excellent' reports at the recent inspection. This is indeed something for the District to be proud of, and those parents whose children attend the local school must feel that the Staff and Trustees are doing their very best to see that the pupils are getting the best possible from their attendance at school.

We are given to understand that in the new curriculum music will play a very important part, and the matter of a piano mentioned sometime ago should come in very handy for this subject.

East and West

To you folks out East and out West, why not raise a Midget Ball team amongst your boys, and form a league with the two teams in town. When July 1st comes around the League can approach Sports Manager Glenn Williams for a showing on that day when the championship of the League could be played. How about it, all it needs is some live wire men in each District. Think it over.

Women of the West.

On the frontiers of the Nation,
live the Women of the West

The red sun robs their beauty, and in weariness and pain,
The slow years steal the nameless grace that never comes again;
And there are hours men cannot soothe, and words men cannot say -
The nearest woman's face may be a hundred miles away.
The wide plain holds the secrets of their longing and desires,
When the white stars in reverence light the holy altar fires;
And silence, like the touch of God, sinks deep into the breast -
Perchance he hears and answers the Women of the West.
For them no trumpet sounds the call, no poet plies his arts -
They only hear the beating of their own gallant hearts.
But they have sung with silent lives the song all songs above -
The holiness of sacrifice, the dignity of love.

G. E. Evans.

Gossip and Grumbles

Mrs. Wm. Pogue practicing for the World Series :: James Dickson going United Artists :: Tom Tredaway trying to get some men interested in the re-building of the old Service Garage :: Frank Mossop playing Nurse Maid :: Mrs. D. H. McFadyen collecting from an Aberdonian :: Helen Willis begins duty at the P. O. on Friday, while Mrs. McFadyen lays down the stamps for things in the home :: Percy Griffiths taking his winnings from the Life Saver Gun envelope, the cheque was for 100 the decimal going in front of the first zero :: Frank Ruddy visiting Broadway after an illness spell :: Mrs. T. M. Goldie making the Post Office ring with laughter to celebrate the coming of spring :: Wilda Laut saving a cutting from the Chronicle :: Johnny Jack shewing some Kilmarrock dash :: Signs of summer Jean Stevens carrying a Tennis Racket :: Ed Meyers back again to grace Broadway with his grace and charm :: Fred Patchell reading carefully the new law on Well-Drilling :: Lou Overby dressed like a real working man ::

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Ether Waves By Omair

Omair will be glad to answer your Radio Questions. Address him in care of the Chronicle.

The Magic Carpet.

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So much has been said and written about Short Wave Radio that, to the broadcast listener, it has taken on a highly technical and frightening aspect which is quite uncalled for. What is short Wave Radio, and wherein does it differ from broadcast radio with which we are all familiar? There is no essential difference. Both are radio waves, and short waves bear the same relation to broadcast radio waves that the high organ notes bear to the low notes.

The use of the terms "long" and "short" in connection with radio waves is rather unfortunate. It is a "carry-over" from the early days of radio, and early methods of measurement when radio waves were measured in metres, an actual physical measurement, and were spoken of as being "so many metres long."

A less confusing adjective, which is coming into familiar use, is 'frequency', and we speak of radio waves, not as "short" or "long", but as being "high frequency", "medium" or "low frequency" waves, as the case may be. As will be readily appreciated, the terms "high" and "low" are relative. Like the diminishing fleas in Dean Swift's famous jingle, no radio wave is so high in frequency that another may not be higher.

The tuning dial on the modern radio receiver is now universally calibrated in frequency in the broadcast band, the frequency being given in kilocycles. It is still customary, however, to mark the short wave bands in metres in accordance with popular usage, and to refer to a short radio wave as being, for example, a "25 metre" or a "50 metre" wave.

The broadcast listener need no longer look with suspicion on short wave radio, for with the modern short wave radio receiver, tuning on short wave is quite as simple as tuning in the broadcast band, and the entertainment offered is even more varied. At the same time, if the owner of a short wave radio receiver is to obtain the maximum of enjoyment from its use, he must fully acquaint himself with its possibilities and impossibilities.

LET US HAVE IT

"If you have a bit of news,
Send it in,
Something that will amuse,
Send it in,

A story that is true.
An accident that's new,
We want to hear from you,
Send it in,

"Don't wait a month to do it,
Send it in,
Don't let 'em beat you to it.
Send it in,

Something serious or a jest,
Just which ever you like best,
The editor will do the rest,
Send it in."

Orfiss Kolumm

P. D. Sez.

A bore is the kind
of man who, when
you ask him how he
is, tells you.



Mr. Lady Potato Cakes

One pint mashed cold potatoes
One well beaten egg
One-quarter cup milk
Seasoning

Mix beaten egg and potato. Add seasoning, also milk and flour alternately. Roll out one quarter inch thick. On one half piece put chopped cold meat. Turn other half over and pinch edges together. Bake on buttered pan.

Imperial Salad

One package lemon jelly powder
One cup boiling water
One cup pineapple juice
One-half can pimento (cut up fine)

One tablespoonful vinegar
Four slices pineapple cubed
One cup chopped apple
One cup chopped celery
Set the jelly with boiling water, pineapple juice and vinegar, when nearly set add the other ingredients, serve on lettuce with mayonnaise dressing.

Roast Venison

The haunch is the choice piece for roasting. Wipe meat with damp cloth, grease with butter. Cover top and sides with a thick paste of flour, water and egg, (the egg may be omitted) cover roast with brown paper and roast in hot oven. Before serving (about twenty minutes) remove paper and paste and baste with butter till brown. This method is also good for moose meat or any wild meat.

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National Floral Emblems Chosen As Symbolical Of National Characteristics

Mother Canada and four of her provinces—Nova Scotia, Manitoba, Alberta and Ontario—have adopted native floral emblems. Chosen as emblems, the Maple Leaf, like the Trillium of Nova Scotia, was highly favoured more than a century ago. The former, like the Rose of England, the Thistle of Scotland, the Shamrock or Irish harp and many of the older national emblems became established without official enactment or public proclamation. The Trillium of Nova Scotia, the Anemone patens of Manitoba and the Wild Rose of Alberta have been made official by provincial legislation and a bill already prepared to give official standing to the Trillium for Ontario it is expected will be enacted by the Ontario Legislature during the present sitting.

National flowers have in certain countries a peculiar significance or are symbolical of the characteristics or feelings of the nations. In many cases, as in the Canadian provinces and in the United States, the chosen flower has been adopted by legislation. In other cases as in several European countries, in Egypt, India and Japan it has by its association with poetry, religious ceremonies or popular sentimentality of the people gradually become universally recognized as the nation's symbol. In connection with each of these there is an interesting story.

The Canadian emblem more than a century ago was regarded as highly symbolical of the Canadian people. This was indicated at a banquet of the Saint-Jean Baptiste Society held in Montreal on June 24, 1836. The banquet hall was profusely decorated with maple leaves and leaves of the Sugar Maple and the main speaker Denis-Benjamin Viger spoke eloquently of the virtues of the Maple tree which was highly praised for its sturdiness in the forest, the substitution with maple wood for fuel and lumber and its great service to the pioneer in its annual harvest of syrup and sugar.

The sentiments expressed by the speaker were undoubtedly popular in those early days of Canadian life. The Trillium, made the official emblem of Nova Scotia in 1901, was highly regarded as early as 1825 when the flower was represented in a decoration that appeared on the front page of the "Nova Scotia". Thirty years later it was associated with the rose, the thistle and the shamrock on postage stamps. This flower is also the State Flower of Massachusetts where it is better known as the Mayflower. There its name was associated with the Pilgrim Fathers who, at the end of their first winter of great privation, on seeing the first flowers of the spring appearing from soil called the plant the Mayflower after the historic ship that brought them to Plymouth Rock.

The Manitoba emblem, the Anemone patens, chosen by the provincial Horticultural Society was made official in 1902. Also known as the Windflower and the Pasque it is the State flower of South Dakota. Alberta's emblem, the Wild Rose, is also the State flower of North Dakota, Iowa, New York and Georgia. Following a suggestion by the editor of an Edmonton newspaper that the province of Alberta should have a floral emblem, the Women's Institute took the matter up, and passed it on to the Department of Education. The choice of the native rose was made by the school pupils of the province.

Ontario's choice, the Trillium grandiflorum, also called the Wake-robin, was accepted by the Ontario Horticultural Association in 1906 after it had been recommended by a committee of botanists who canvassed the views of the Horticultural Societies in the province as well as the High Schools and College Institutes. The Trillium, thriving as it does in woods over most of the province, responds well to cultivation in the garden but must not be used as a cut flower because the bloom cannot be picked without taking with it all the foliage which is needed to develop the bulbous root for the following season's bloom. For this same reason the Trillium should not be thoughtlessly gathered in the woods.

The rose of England as the floral emblem dates back to the thirteenth century when Edward I. chose it in honour of his mother who was known as the Rose of Provence. Two centuries later Henry VII. chose for his badge the Tudor rose which is

described as a double red bloom with a white centre. The Thistle of Scotland served a useful purpose in the early days when a night attack was being made by a Danish army. A baroneted Dane stepping on a thistle cried out, giving alarm to the defending soldiers who quickly drove them off. The Leek for Wales was also chosen for its service in war. When Cadwallan, the Welsh leader, was about to meet Edwin, King of Northumbria, he ordered his men to wear a leek in their helmets to enable him to distinguish them from the enemy soldiers. The choice of victory for the Welsh and the choice of the leek as the nation's emblem, Ireland chose the Shamrock when it helped St. Patrick to make clear to the worshippers the mystery of the Trinity.

The Fleur-de-Lis, or Iris, the French emblem, is said to have been used in coronation ceremonies. When a king was crowned he was carried amongst his people carrying an iris to represent a sceptre. Interesting stories could be told about the Lotus of Egypt and India, the Chrysanthemum of Japan, the Cornflower of Germany, the Linden of Prussia, the Amaranth of Sweden and of the 40 old State flowers of the American Union. Most of the U.S. State flowers have been adopted within the past forty years, some by the school children but in most cases by the State legislatures on the recommendation of authoritative bodies such as the Daughters of America.

France Has New Car

Is Shaped Like A Fish With Engine At The Back

A new type of motor car, designed by Andre Dubonnet, the French sportsman, has been tested at Montlhery, near Paris, and will shortly be demonstrated in England.

The 21-hp., 8-cylinder engine is placed immediately in front of the back axle, leaving the front part of the car free for the passengers. The driving seat is immediately over the front axle.

The car is said to be capable of a speed of 120 miles an hour, with a fuel consumption 40 per cent. less than that of ordinary cars. The body is fish-shaped.

To compare the car with other types, an ordinary model was driven round a track, fitted with an identical engine. Its top speed was registered as 90 miles an hour, 30 miles an hour less than that of the new model.

Value Of A Garden

Vegetables Fresh From Ground Mean Health To Body

The home gardener is no friend of the beauty specialist where complexion is concerned, scientists tell us, because the properly balanced diet containing vitamin and mineral fresh vegetables will give nature its chance to do what was intended, bring health to the body, and with it, a good complexion.

Vegetables are not the only foods to produce such results, of course, but they are the "deficiency" type which supply the hidden food elements lacking in so many other modern table delicacies. The fact that they are grown at home and can be used fresh from the garden without the loss brought about by being kept out of the ground, makes them doubly valuable for the health and complexion seeker.

Rock Wool In Canada

The manufacture of rock wool for insulating purposes was commenced in Canada in 1934 and three plants have been established. According to the Department of Mines, Ottawa, the greater part of the Canadian production is being used for building insulation. Establishment of the rock wool industry in Canada followed investigation work in the laboratories of the department. The investigations showed that large deposits of a special type of limestone, in the Niagara district in Ontario, were suitable for the manufacture of rock wool. The deposits were discovered during the course of a survey by the department of the limestone resources of Canada.

When the gray squirrel population becomes too dense in a region to suit the squirrels, there is a huge migration with much excitement.

Florida has 5,113 miles of drainage ditches. 2145

The SNAPSHOT GUILD

THINK BEFORE YOU SHOOT



Left: A person often can be included incidentally in a scene to add composition and to denote relative sizes. Right: This is more directly a story-telling picture in which the figure of the boy dominates.

What shall be done to that newspaper paragraph which recently averred that it is not a pessimist who takes the worst possible view of things, but an amateur photographer? We of the Snapshot Guild know that this is a scurrilous claim, considering that pictures taken by amateurs are being constantly exhibited in salons and reproduced in magazines and newspapers because of their artistic and photographic excellence.

Publicly, let us disdain this "wise-cracker," but privately, shall we not confess that most of us snapshot-makers are guilty of "taking the worst possible view of things" more often than we should? Let us acknowledge that there are too many examples of carelessness in our picture taking and strive always to observe the slogan of the Snapshot Guild: "Think twice before you shoot once."

In other words, instead of shooting aimlessly and trusting to luck, let us always take time to secure the best possible composition of our picture subject, for it is composition that makes the difference artistically between a good and a bad picture.

Composition is really only another word for arrangement. In photography some arrangements we can make by purposely placing figures or objects, but since in much of our picture taking we are powerless to make any physical changes, we have to make the arrangement wholly by changing the viewpoint of the camera. We may move it a few

inches or a few feet and change the composition decidedly. In this way we are able properly to place in our picture the dominating point of interest that every good picture must have. To be effective, this principal point of interest should usually be a little away from the centre. Then we should look to see how well lines, lights, and shadows lead the eye to it and give it emphasis.

Often we may be obliged or desire to admit secondary objects of interest, but if we do not study their position before we click the shutter and consider distance and angle, we may find that what we intended to be secondary has "taken the show." For example, we are impressed by the beauty of a waterfall, and ask a friend to be in the picture for a touch of human interest. Then we take the picture so close that it becomes a picture of a person and the beauty of the waterfall is lost.

Remember, too, that in photography, size and shadow are vital parts of the arrangement, the same of day affects the composition of all outdoor pictures. A good composition at 11 o'clock in the morning may be a poor composition at 3 o'clock in the afternoon, for shadows have form and light has emphasis. Study these lights and shadows in relation to the main object of your picture. It is often worth while waiting for them to change.

JOHN VAN GUILDER.

The Royal Marines

King Edward Assumes Colonelcy Of Famous Corps

The King has assumed the colonelcy-in-chief of the Royal Marines. The appointment was welcomed by this famous branch of the fighting services, for King Edward now takes the position occupied by King George.

The Royal Marines last year mounted guard at Buckingham Palace, St. James Palace and the Hyde Park magazine for the first time in their 270 years' history.

As "scarecrows" to discourage coyotes, Western sheepmen find that lighted lanterns hung on poles near the flocks at night are effective.

Coronation Robes

Nobility Of England To Spend Large Sums For Costumes

Peers and princesses will spend \$20,000 on their coronation robes which they have ordered.

The cloth-crimson velvet of a deep ecclesiastical hue—takes six months to manufacture in the north of England. Nearly 1,600 robes have to be made.

Robes cost \$425 each, and coronets \$90.

It is claimed that a new enamel keeps clean for several weeks, and then merely needs a gentle wipe with a dry cloth. Hope is expressed in juvenile circles that it may be possible to coat the neck with it.

Get Busy On A Lovely Panel



PATTERN 5569

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There is no Alice Brooks pattern book published

British Government Will Not Consider Handing Over Any Mandated Territories

Campaign To Dehorn Cattle

Work Is Being Neglected And Results In Heavy Loss

With thousands of dollars being lost annually by cattle shippers through shipping horned cattle, the Saskatchewan department of agriculture, livestock division, is planning a widespread campaign to dehorn all cattle, according to J. G. Robertson, commissioner.

Ten years ago the department and other interested livestock associations, packers and the like, started a campaign of a similar nature that met with some success. Thousands of cattle were dehorned then. Since, however, breeders have either forgotten or neglected to do such work and the new campaign is the result.

One packing company has estimated the loss through horned cattle butting and attacking animals without horns or themselves while being shipped amounts to \$1,000 a week; \$500,000 on a million head of cattle a year.

Cattle can be dehorned by using special pliers on the horns or, the best way, during the calf stage, according to Mr. Robertson. Here are directions issued by the department.

One proper application of a stick of caustic potash in the nubbins of a calf will prevent growth of horns.

To Preserve Wild Life

East And West Will Work In Close Co-operation

Wild life workers throughout eastern Canada, represented at a meeting in Montreal, endorsed the principle of a national federation of such organizations and appointed a preliminary committee to work out details.

The meeting was told a western association already had approved the federation idea and east and west would work in close co-operation. The committee appointed will ask the Dominion government to call an Ottawa conference.

Members chosen were: Nova Scotia, E. H. Inis; New Brunswick, E. H. Cook and F. Cedric Cooper; Quebec, Col. H. A. Stewart and Charles Prescott; Ontario, Dr. C. G. Keyes and Dr. Arthur B. James; Manitoba, E. B. Pithblado and R. H. G. Bonnycastle.

R. Keifer was appointed to represent the Canadian Forestry Association, and Prof. W. J. K. Harkness, Ottawa, and B. W. Taylor, Quebec, were chosen as biological representatives.

Agricultural Outlook

Forecast Of Wheat Prices For Current Crop Year Just Guesstwork

"The outlook for Saskatchewan farmers for the current," says Farm Outlook, published by the Department of Farm Management, University of Saskatchewan, "is one of gloom and optimism."

The price of wheat, the principal agricultural product and the most important source of revenue on Saskatchewan farms, is subject to many varied and unpredictable influences of national and international importance, consequently forecasts of wheat prices are little better than guesses. Recognizing his limitation, the Saskatchewan farmer cannot wisely budget for his year on the expectation that the average farm price of wheat for the next crop will be higher than now prevails. At the same time, from the combination of economic and other influences, no material reduction in the average farm price of wheat need be anticipated."

Reindeer Moving North

Canada's herd of reindeer wintered in excellent condition, and movement of the herd northward to the summer range along the Arctic coast near Kitikotat got under way April 1st. The herding of the animals northward is done in a leisurely manner as they are now approaching the fawning season and care must be taken that the herd reaches the destination in the best possible condition.

Problem For Scientists

Scientists are puzzled over a strange flame-colored animal, five feet long, shaped like a pig, reported to have been shot in Vernon. The creature has fore feet like a bear and hind feet like a duck. It is the first of the kind known.

Employment in Beletium is increasing.

Demands for a pledge that the government would not consider the recession of any mandated territories were made by Conservative members in the British House of Commons.

J. H. Thomas, secretary for the colonies, replying, said recent statements on the subject by himself and Neville Chamberlain, chancellor of the exchequer, applied equally to crown colonies and mandated territories.

He emphasized that in the mandated territories British possessed no advantages or privileges over other countries. He said if the question of transferring any mandate ever arose it would not be a question for Britain alone to determine because Australia, New Zealand and South Africa also had mandates.

The British government, Thomas went on, would consider handing over any of its mandates unless the whole question was as far as empire matters were concerned also reviewed. Beyond that it was not only a question of the empire; there was also the question of the mandates affecting France and Belgium. Furthermore, the inhabitants must be consulted and their interests considered.

The colonial secretary mentioned he had recently received communications from responsible business firms concerning the future of Tanganyika. He said he had replied to a specific request by a company contemplating the investment of a further £1,000,000 in Tanganyika.

He told the firm that while they must be the best judges of their own business as far as the political situation was concerned, "I see no reason to believe for a moment that there is anything to warrant me saying it is inadvisable for them to proceed. I said that not only on my own responsibility but with the concurrence of the treasury also."

Mr. Thomas added he hoped the house would accept his statement. He said the present or any other government to any course of action. "All I will say," he went on, "is that we have not considered and are not considering the question, but if it is raised by others it will be my duty to consider the circumstances."

Winston Churchill said he regretted the minister had given the impression it was not a closed question. The subject was then dropped.

Water Fowl Preservation

United States Sets Aside Large Areas As Sanctuaries For Wild Ducks And Geese

Better than 2,000,000 acres so far have been set aside in the United States for the wild ducks and geese to use as hiding places from the guns of hunters.

Three times as much land to be used as game refuges is now under the control of the United States bureau of biological survey as there was two years ago. Then it was 700,000 acres. Now it is 2,100,000.

Work on these refuges and sanctuaries is done by the civilian conservation corps in addition to survey experts. Seven times as many C.C.C. workers are now engaged in wild life work as there were a year ago. There are now 5,600 men working to give the ducks and geese a chain of natural resting places along their ancestral flyways.

On the four principal flyways of the North American waterfowl—the Atlantic, the Mississippi, the Central and the Pacific—28 C.C.C. camps have been established or approved.

The fowl are thickest along the Mississippi flyway, which includes the ancestral breeding grounds in the plains states, from Montana to Michigan, flocks fly across the Canadian frontier in the fall or start from within the United States border, converging before winter on the muddy, food-laden delta of the Mississippi. Another flyway crosses the Appalachian states from the north and ends in temperate swamps on the southern Atlantic seaboard.

Plenty Of Doctors

Doctors from 20 nations, including the United States, will meet at Berlin prior to the Olympic games for an "International Sport Doctors' Congress" when treatments of ailments and injuries of athletes will be the subject of a series of discussions scheduled for July 27-31.

Suitor—Honey, don't you think you could manage to live on 25 a week?

Girl Friend—Get the license. I'll try it a week.

WORLD HAPPENINGS
BRIEFLY TOLD

Mail service of 14 days from England to South Africa is specified in contracts entered into by the British post office department.

Medical reports disclosed that 1,400 persons died of cholera in Siam from the beginning of the outbreak in February to mid-April.

A swarm of stingless bees arrived in London from central Africa for experimental purposes and some will be released to see if they are homed. Italy has lost \$160,000,000 in gold—almost half her previous bullion reserve—since the outbreak of the Ethiopian war, the financial newspaper L'Information declared.

The sixth annual report of the National Radium Commission says Britain's radium is running out and more is badly needed to carry on the treatment of cancer.

A cargo of fur valued at close to \$100,000 reached Edmonton by train from McMurtry to where it had been flown by northern aeroplanes from various ports.

South African motorists need expect no relief from taxation till the roads are put into thoroughly good order throughout the country, highway officials have intimated.

The Canadian Shipping Act, one of the most voluminous acts ever passed by the Canadian parliament, will come into force on Aug. 1. Marine Minister Howe stated at Ottawa.

Automobile accidents for the first two months of this year increased 11.6 per cent. over the same period last year, according to announcement by the Ontario motor vehicles branch.

Government statistics, which state that seven years have been added to the expectation of life since 1911, say London's suburban residents are healthier than the rest of England's people.

Wheat Exports Increase

Increase in Both Volume and Value Is Shown

Canada's exports of wheat in the fiscal year ended March 31, showed a substantial increase in both volume and value compared with the previous year, the Dominion bureau of statistics reported. At the same time wheat flour exports showed a decline in quantity and an increase in value.

Exports of wheat amounted to 179,124,180 bushels, worth \$148,576,885, or an average of 83 cents per bushel, compared with 165,701,983 bushels at \$132,441,885, an average of 80 cents per bushel in the preceding fiscal year.

Wheat flour exports totalled 4,858,947 barrels, worth \$19,382,617, an average of \$3.99, against 4,936,827 barrels at \$18,386,040, an average of \$3.72 per barrel in the fiscal year ended March 31, 1935.

Boy Scout Meet

World Jamboree To Be Held In Holland Next Year

The fifth world Boy Scout jamboree will be held in August, 1937, at Bloemendaal, near Haarlem, Holland, according to official announcement received by Dominion head-quarters of the Boy Scouts Association.

Plans are under consideration for acceptance of Holland's invitation and the sending of a Canadian contingent of scouts and scoutmasters. It was stated the Netherlands government will mark the event by the issue of a special jamboree postage stamp as was done by Hungary for the previous jamboree held there in 1933.

Advice To Teachers

Teachers must abandon their apologetic attitude toward the profession and the public discard its conception of the "teacher type," declared Dr. G. W. Kerby, principal of Mount Royal College, Calgary, in an address at the Alberta Teachers' Association convention. Dr. Kerby declared the attempts made by some communities to keep the teacher's social life in a narrow sphere. It had been too frequently the case that the community set the teacher aside from life, he added.

"Bring me a bowl of clear soup and a large screen," ordered the man with the new set of false teeth. "Why the screen, sir?" asked the waiter.

"So I won't be able to see that fellow at the next table eating a porterhouse steak."

New Zealand has no native mammals, except bats.

Jack Miner Foundation

Ontario Government Gives Royal Assent To The Incorporation Bill In 1931 The Jack Miner Migratory Bird Foundation was incorporated in U.S.A. Last week the Ontario Government put through special legislation, known as "The Jack Miner Bill," giving royal assent which incorporates the said foundation in Canada, and allows the said foundation to do business, such as soliciting contributions and bequests, and owning land in Canada as bird sanctuaries.

Jack Miner has agreed to give his home and bird sanctuary to the said foundation, when men and women have contributed enough funds to The Jack Miner Foundation to assure him the place will be kept on a perpetual basis.

All money, such as gifts or bequests, are to be held in trust, and only the annual interest used to pay the upkeep and expenditure on The Jack Miner Bird Sanctuary.

The object of the foundation is to raise one million dollars to be held in trust, so that there will be enough annual interest to also carry on educational campaigns in the public schools of Canada to educate the youth on the value of bird life to the Dominion. Jack Miner's motto is "Educate instead of legislate."

More education and less legislation. The Ontario Government giving its royal assent, assures the contributing public that the legal set-up is on a solid basis, and that there can be no money mis-used in any way, as all gifts and bequests are to be held by a trust company and invested in government bonds.

Jack Miner's Bird Sanctuary is known the world over, and now the establishment of The Jack Miner Migratory Bird Foundation will more or less make his place an international park, and his life work will be carried on by the interest from money contributed by donations or bequests to the said trust fund, known as The Jack Miner Foundation.

Jack Miner says "It is not as sane for his wealthy friends to leave a few hundred thousand dollars to The Jack Miner Foundation, where birds can always be seen alive and saved from extermination, as it is to leave several millions to museums where only dead, stuffed specimens can be seen in glass cases."

Jack Miner being so well known to all the men and women who perpetuate his home and bird sanctuary will become as famous as Jack Miner throughout the world, and their names will go down in history with Canada's well known bird lover, naturalist, philosopher, lecturer and author. The slogan among Jack Miner's friends is "When making your will remember The Jack Miner Migratory Bird Foundation."

Has Strange History

Centuries Ago Dying Woman Founded Tichborne Dole

A strange history attaches to the "Tichborne Dole," which was recently distributed at Tichborne Park, Alresford, by Sir Anthony Tichborne. Centuries ago a Lady Tichborne, when on her deathbed, asked her husband to set aside money to provide for an annual gift to the poor in her memory. Her husband, by no means a model character, matched a blazing brand from the fire and told her he would set aside the revenue from as much land as she could walk around before the brand burnt out. She accepted the challenge, had herself carried out, and contrived to crawl on hands and knees in a circle enclosing several acres before the brand spluttered out. The "Dole" is distributed in flour, and even during the war years it was continued by special permit of the Food Controller.

Reclaiming Land From Sea

The British colony, Port of Spain, Trinidad, is being enlarged at the expense of the Atlantic ocean. Already 80 acres of land have been added to the area as the result of reclamation work being carried out by the Trinidad government. S. R. H. Beard, resident engineer, stated reclamation work was not yet half finished and was progressing at a satisfactory pace.

"Why did you tear the back part out of that new book?" asked the long-suffering wife of the absent-minded doctor.

"Excuse me, dear," said the famous surgeon, "on his part your speck of was labelled 'Appendix' and I took it out without thinking."

In one part of the Near East we are told, a husband ties a stocking round his wife's chin if she is talkative. This is certainly more humane than a sock on the jaw. 2148

"HOME DEFENCE LADS"



PRIVATE J. BULL: "We can't go short-handed! Who'll help to man the gun?"

—News of the World.

A Rare Occurrence

St. Paul's Cathedral Had Third Burial Within Six Months

The rare incident of a third burial within St. Paul's Cathedral in six months happened April 18, when Louise Creighton, widow of a former Bishop of London who died in 1901, was buried beside her husband in the crypt.

It is doubtful if any woman has been buried in St. Paul's since the great fire in 1666. Mrs. Creighton was 86. Her husband was regarded as one of the greatest historical scholars of his generation. His wife possessed impressive intellectual gifts, her biography of her husband having been considered a masterpiece.

After her husband's death King Edward VII. granted her apartments at Hampton Court palace. Subsequently she removed to Oxford. Her husband was the immediate predecessor of the present Bishop of London.

The other recent burials within St. Paul's were those of Lord Jellicoe in November and Lord Beatty in March.

Too Highly Rated

Health Value Of Spinach Is Not Very Great

Good news for spinach lovers! The leafy vegetable, ohomous to many, but with a widely heralded health value, is losing its high standing. Discussions at the opening session of the American Institute of Nutrition at Washington revealed.

Spinach has been considered a valuable food because it has a high content of blood and bone building iron and calcium. Less than half of the iron content of spinach, however, and less than a third of its calcium are in a form that can be used by the body, it appears from a report by Dr. M. K. Horwitt and G. R. Cowgill of research made by them at Yale University with the late Prof. L. B. Mendel.

Must Be A Record

Maritimes at Saint John, N.B., have found a record which rivals that of a Budapest baker who claims to have shaved a man in 28 seconds. They produce the record of James S. Pitt, former Saint John resident who died in Cambridge, Mass., who claimed he shaved a man and ran 100 yards in one minute. Mayor Brooke of Cambridge once offered \$500 to anyone who could break Pitt's record, say the old-timers.

Director Of Adult Education

Alberta Man Is Appointed To Important Post

Announcement was made that a sub-committee of the Canadian Association for Adult Education has recommended E. A. Corbett, director of university extension for the University of Alberta, be appointed director of adult education in Canada.

The sub-committee, composed of Mr. Robert Falconer, former president of University of Toronto; A. E. Morgan, principal of McGill University, and W. J. Dunlop, head of University of Toronto extension courses, announced, Mr. Corbett will take up his duties immediately on a voluntary basis, and on a full-time basis Sept. 1.

Mr. Corbett, native of Truro, N.S., was educated at Hurdington Academy, Quebec, and was secretary of Strathcona hall, McGill University, for some time. He joined the University of Alberta staff in 1921 and was appointed director of the department of extension in 1927.

The Canadian Badger

Lives Underground And Is Seldom Seen In Daytime

The Canadian badger is a low, thick-set animal, its body broad and fat, ears short, tail short, legs very short and powerful. Its coat is silvery gray. A white stripe runs back from the tip of the nose. It is more carnivorous than the European badger. It hibernates during the colder months of winter, and is the only member of the weasel family to do so.

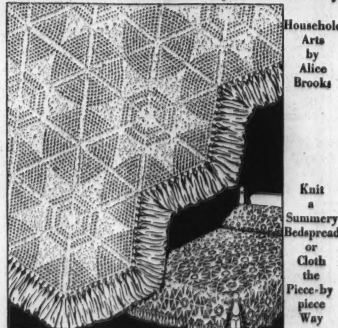
The badger lives for the most part underground and is seldom seen abroad in daytime. It can be a ferocious, dogged fighter when cornered and badger-baiting used to be a popular sport.

Employees Run Factory

Victor Weiner, who once owned a leather manufacturing plant at Patzava, Czechoslovakia, has just taken a position there as clerk under the former workers. Threatened by financial difficulties recently, he presented the factory to his employees under condition that they would employ him.

An expensive candy, in pill form, is used by actors in making moving pictures of winter scenes. The candy gives off a vapor when dissolving and thus simulates breath in wintry weather.

Here's a Six-sided Way To Beauty



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In it an heirloom!" admiring friends will ask. And how proud you'll be to say you made it all yourself, both quickly and easily. Just follow the clear directions for making triangles, which repeated and joined form a striking, six-sided medallion. If knitted in string, you'll find your bedspread, cloth pillow top or scarf is doubly durable. In pattern 5584 you will find complete instructions for making the triangle shown; an illustration of it and of the stitches needed; material requirements.

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There is no Alice Brooks pattern book published

SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

MAY 8

JESUS TEACHES FORGIVENESS, HUMILITY, AND GRATITUDE

Golden text: Be ye kind one to another, tenderhearted, forgiving each other, even as God also in Christ forgave you, Ephesians 4:32. Lesson: Luke 17. Devotional reading: Philippians 2:1-11.

Explanations And Comments

The Sin of Causing Others to Sin, Luke 17:1, 2. It is inevitable that hindrances should come (Moffatt's translation); but who unto him through whom they come! Better were it that he should be put to death, than that he should cause one of these little ones to stumble. By "these little ones" Jesus refers affectionately to those disciples who were weak enough to be easily led astray.

The Duty of Forgiving, Luke 17:3, 4. "Problem" Evangelist intended no connection between this and the preceding utterance. But we must not believe that things will work out that way. That is just what the apostles thought. They asked the Lord to increase their visible supply of faith" (S. D. Gordon). Jesus replied to the disciples that if they with any faith at all comparable even to a grain of mustard seed in vitality, they could accomplish the seemingly impossible things which are expressed by the words "Ye would say unto this sycamore (mulberry, Moffatt), 'Be thou rooted up, and be thou planted in the sea, and it would obey you."

The Power of Faith, Luke 17:5, 6. "But," you say, that is good talk, but it will take more faith than I have now to believe that things will work out that way. That is just what the apostles thought. They asked the Lord to increase their visible supply of faith" (S. D. Gordon). Jesus replied to the disciples that if they with any faith at all comparable even to a grain of mustard seed in vitality, they could accomplish the seemingly impossible things which are expressed by the words "Ye would say unto this sycamore (mulberry, Moffatt), 'Be thou rooted up, and be thou planted in the sea, and it would obey you."

The Duty Without Boasting, Luke 17:7-10. "This appears to have no connection with the saying about faith; unless it be that in the apostles' request Jesus detected the suggestion that he was making ungrounded claims on his followers, and thus he rebukes the complaint by asserting his unlimited claim" (A. E. Morgan).

Lesson on Gratitude, Luke 17:11-19. As Jesus and his disciples were on their way to Jerusalem, they entered a village and were met by two blind men who sat at the side of the road, crying by law (Lev. 13: 45, 46; Num. 5:2) to prevent infecting others, they cried, "Jesus, Master, have mercy on us." Jesus bade them to come, and the priests who had been cured, they would have done, to get their "bill of privilege" from the priests' declaration that they were free from leprosy and might mingle with other people. Objection to the command required great faith. Yet all ten lepers obeyed and on the way they found their cures. True it was for them, as Dr. J. H. Jewett somewhere says, that "Faith begins as an experiment and ends as an experience."

Samaritans were hated and scorned by Jews because they were a company, and in that afflicted group there was one Samaritan. And the one place in Jerusalem to-day where the ancient hatred of Jews and Samaritans is buried is in the leper-house. As soon as this Samaritan recovered from the disease had left him, he returned to fall at the feet of Jesus and pour out his expressions of thanksgiving. And Jesus answered said, "Were not the ten cleansed? but where are the nine? There were none here to give glory to me, save this stranger!" And he said unto him, "Arise, and go thy way: thy faith hath made thee whole."

Has Proved A Success

Panel Heating Is Now Widely Employed In England

Panel heating, the most recent departure in heating methods since the central heating plant came into use, is now widely employed in England. Hot water is circulated through coils of steel pipe concealed in the ceiling, from which heat rays are sprayed downward.

Unlike all other methods, by which the air itself must be heated to around 72 degrees for comfort, panel heating produces the same pleasant sensation of warmth as the sun, at an air temperature of 65 degrees or lower. Because the warmth of the invisible rays is retained longer by the skin and clothes, windows can be opened often to dispel any discomfort or dryness.

Cost of installation is high, but operating costs show savings as high as 25 per cent.

Vice-Negat Visit To West

The Governor-General and Lady Tweedmuir will be in residence at the vice-regal quarters Quebec citadel from early in June until the beginning of August, it was announced at government house. During that time they will make a tour of the maritime provinces. The vice-regal party leaving about August 6 for British Columbia where His Excellency will open the Canada-Pacific exhibition on August 26.

YOUR GARDEN

Even with the most fertile and open soil, expert gardeners stress the importance of thorough cultivation. The preliminary jobs will usually be done with a spade, or digging fork where space is limited, but in the country where land is still valued by the acre a horse or tractor-drawn plow will be used. At least once during the year, and better still twice, the soil should be thoroughly turned over. Later on just before seeding it is usually best to rake or cultivate finely, in order to break down all lumps. The benefit of frequent light cultivation is two-fold. It will destroy weed growth, thus conserving the fertility and moisture used by these unwanted plants and it will also conserve moisture from evaporation which is always more rapid in hard, packed, uncultivated soil.

Where the area devoted to the garden is limited careful attention must be given to such points as distance between rows and between plants, so that the rows are ready to be used to advantage. Each plant must have room to mature yet gaps must be avoided. Study of rotation of crops and time of maturity is of great value in planning the small garden. Such a study of rotation of crops may be given as intercrops between the rows of later maturing crops like carrots and parsley. Late sown crops may be planted between the rows of early maturing crops like lettuce and radishes. Two or three crops of such plants as radish and lettuce may be grown between the rows of early maturing crops. A study of rotation of crops may be given as intercrops between the rows of later maturing crops like carrots and parsley. Late sown crops may be planted between the rows of early maturing crops like lettuce and radishes. Two or three crops of such plants as radish and lettuce may be grown between the rows of early maturing crops.

For quick results, a important point with the new garden or with an old one, is to select early maturing flowers will make a very satisfactory showing all by themselves. They are easy to grow, and will fill in the gaps in the perennial bed which may have suffered from frost or other causes. In almost every section of Canada there are literally hundreds of varieties from which to choose, including almost every conceivable color and height. There are bushy plants like Dahlias, which will make excellent borders, and there are also many annuals, many of which are well suited to the permanent shrubs assume full size. There are climbers such as the Scarlet Runner Bean, Nasturtium, Sweet Peas and others which will cover fences, screen verandas or even trail over walls. In the standard sorts heights range from the inch high tiny Alyssum to Sunflowers, which may stand six feet tall. Many of these things can be sown in the open ground in the first week of April until the first of June. For short cuts or unusually early results many annuals may be purchased as well started plants.

Guarded By Police

Former Chief Secretary For Ireland Receives Protection

It was revealed that a police guard is still maintained outside the chambers in Gray's Inn of Lord Greenwood, chief secretary for Ireland during the stormy years of 1922.

Lord Greenwood, a native of Whitty, Ont., retired from politics some years ago. But the police guard remains at the chambers and he is constantly shadowed by Scotland Yard men.

These precautions date back to the turbulent period preceding the signing of the Anglo-Irish treaty of 1922, creating the Irish Free State. Lord Greenwood, then Sir Hamar Greenwood, was the last person to hold the office of chief secretary for Ireland as it was abolished under the treaty.

Lord Carson, solicitor-general for Ireland in 1922 and a prominent figure in the pro-British political struggle between pro-British and Nationalist Irishmen, was likewise guarded until the day of his death a few months ago.

Carson constantly grumbled at the insistence of the police upon his carrying a revolver. He said it was a nuisance because it made his pocket bulge.

Old Theory Exploded

Drafts Or Wet Feet Cannot Give People Colds

Dr. J. A. Dool, director of the department of hygiene and public health of Western Reserve University School of Medicine at Cleveland, attacked a few time-honored teachings about the common cold in an address before the medical science group of the Ohio Academy of Science. According to Dr. Dool, "You can't catch cold by sitting in a draft."

"You can't catch cold by stepping into a cold room after a hot bath. You can't catch cold by getting your feet wet."

"You can't catch cold by rushing outdoors without an overcoat. You can catch cold by infection only."

The first automobile imported into the United States was exhibited at the World's Fair in 1893.

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Council Meetings

The council of the village of Crossfield will meet in the Fire Hall on the first Monday of each month at the hour of 8 o'clock P.M.

By Order of the Village Council.
T. Tredaway, Sec.-Treas.

Canadian Legion B. E. S. L. Crossfield Branch

Meets on the last Saturday of each month in the Masonic Hall at 8 p.m.

Visiting Comrades Welcome.
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Church Notices

Church of the Ascension (ANGELICAN)
Services Sunday, May 3rd.
11:00 a.m. Disabus Holy Communion.
3:00 p.m. Balzac Evensong
7:30 p.m. Crossfield Evensong.
Senior Sunday School Examinations, Saturday, May 2nd.
Junior Sunday School Examinations, Friday.
Time to be fixed.
A. D. CURRIE, Rector.

United Church Services

Sunday, May 3rd
Madden... Sunday School... 11:00 a.m.
Madden... Public Worship... 11:30 a.m.
Inverlea... Sunday School... 2:30 p.m.
Inverlea... Public Worship... 3:15 p.m.
Crossfield... Sunday School... 11:15 a.m.
Crossfield... Public Worship... 7:30 p.m.
The Girls choir will sing at the evening service and there will be a special message for the young people.
A hearty welcome to all
Rev. E. Longmire, Minister

Crossfield Baptist Church

Sunday, May 3rd.
11:00 a.m. "Two Imperatives"
12:00 Sunday School
8:00 p.m. "Solemn Warning"
Special Music
Rev. J. H. PICKFORD, B.Th. Minister.

Transportation**TRAIN TIME AT CROSSFIELD, NORTHBOUND**

521... leaves... 1:58 a.m.
523... " " 9:30 a.m.
525... " " 5:28 p.m.
Note 521 stops on flag only SOUTHBOUND
522... leaves... 5:30 a.m.
524... " " 1:33 p.m.
526... " " 5:28 p.m.
Note 523 & 524 except Sundays

CANADIAN PACIFIC

Local and General.

Mrs. F. Stevens and Mr. and Mrs. A. Stevens were Calgary visitors Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. K. Bills and family took in the hockey game at Calgary Wednesday.

Mrs. T. Goldie entertained a number of ladies at bridge at her home last Thursday.

Real Estate and Gordon.

Mrs. J. B. Ritchie, of Regina, visited her sister, Mrs. Robert Arnott, over the weekend.

Mrs. Foster, of Edmonton, and infant daughter are visiting with Mrs. Foster's parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. I. McNally, for the weekend.

Stationery, Job Printing, Chronicle.

Ronnie McFadyen returned from Vancouver on Friday. Ronnie will be staying around Crossfield for a little while.

Inadvertently missed from the columns of visitors to the N.S. and D. dance was the name of Miss Jean Colliott of Calgary.

C. H. McMillan has been given sick leave from duty and will undergo special treatments from Dr. McGuffin, of Calgary, for the next few weeks.

Insurance and Gordon

The McCaskill Brothers and Heavy Williams saw the Black Hawks triumph over the Maple Leafs last Thursday at the Calgary Arena.

Messrs. Dougan and Dickson of the local Bank Staff were Calgary visitors Thursday, the lure of the big hockey game enticing them to the bright lights.

Case, De Laval and Gordon

We reported last week that Loretta Fike was at the home of Mrs. N. A. Johnson, this should have been Shirley Fike. Loretta is in Calgary taking treatments from Dr. McGuffin along with her cousin, Mrs. A. C. Duncan.

When remitting use Express Money Orders, sold for your convenience at the Chronicle Office.

Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Wall and family, of Disabus, have taken up residence in Crossfield. Their son, G. E. Wall, was already here employed at the Chronicle plant.

The attention of the members of the Canadian Legion is drawn to the fact that meetings are now on summer time, namely, 8 p.m. until further notice. For further details see ad in first column of this page.

Case machinery and Gordon Agencies

Train them young and it will be more than repay. At least this is so to judge by r-marks passed by Jerry Hurt, who exclaimed the other day, "See, that's my Daddie he sells John Deere Machinery, the best you can buy."

A good organization for the young girls of this community would be a Girl Guide and Brownie Troop, some live wire lady or ladies should take up this idea. Necessary permission from Headquarters would have to be obtained but that should be no obstacle.

Auto Insurance and T. Tredaway
Man is not judged by tint of skin,
Nor the Gods he serves or vi-
tage he drinks;
Nor by the way he fights, or loves,
or sins,

But by the quality of the thoughts he thinks.

For Cabbage and Cauliflower Plants, Flowers and other bedding-out plants see W. C. Brown, Madden. (214c)

Readers, do you ever stop to think of the many shopping specials advertised in the Chronicle pages, also the many articles for sale or trade. A careful scrutiny of the various ads will more than repay you. For the thrifty house wife many bargains are advertised in the Store Specials for the Week-end, for instance, see the Crossfield Meat Market special this week.

Local and General

One week from next Sunday May 10th, is Mother's Day.

George McLeod leaves shortly for Saskatchewan as valet to a gentleman home.

Clair Motheral, who sustained a broken arm last week, is progressing slowly but favourably.

H. A. Bannister has been confined to his home for several days with an attack of Quinay.

Fred Baker is under the weather these days, and confined to his home.

Many subscriptions are in arrears for sometime, and to these readers we ask that a little assistance at this time be forthcoming, if the old paper is to carry on. A wee bit in advance would be fine, but anything on account at the present juncture will be appreciated.

There seems to be a prevailing tendency in this district to avoid the Revenue Tax when issuing cheques. The tax is payable by the drawer of the cheque and should be affixed at time of issue, and not left for the party cashing the cheque to bear the cost of the Tax.

Rev. E. and Mrs. Longmire, Daughters and Mrs. P. Fleming were Calgary visitors on Monday evening, attending the Reoitat given in the Hotel Palliser Ballroom by the associate teachers and advanced pupils of the Mollie Pierce School of Music, Miss Marian Longmire and Miss Audrey McNeil, of Langdon, contributed a two piano number, "The Turkish March", by Beethoven.

As we go to press we learn Fred Baker is now out and about again, after taking the count.

Village of Crossfield Notice of Preparation of Assessment Roll Annual Assessment 1936

Notice is hereby given that the assessment roll of the village of Crossfield for the year 1936 has been prepared and is now open for inspection at the office of the secretary treasurer from ten o'clock in the forenoon to four o'clock in the afternoon on every day which is not a public holiday, except Saturday and on that day from ten o'clock in the forenoon until two o'clock in the afternoon, and that any person who desires to object to the entry of his name or that of any other person upon the said roll or to the assessment of any property or to the assessed value placed upon any property, must within thirty days after the date of this notice lodge a complaint in writing with the secretary-treasurer.

Dated this 17th day of April, 1936.

T. Tredaway,
Secretary-Treasurer.

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Activities of Societies Etc.**Ladies Aid**

The usual monthly meeting of the Ladies Aid will be held at the United Church Manse. This meeting will take the form of a Mothers Day meeting, and a large turnout is requested on May 6.

Womens Guild

The Womens Guild will meet at the home of Mrs. D. McFadyen on Wednesday, May 6th.

Midget Baseball Club

Well boys, the local Team managers got together and made their choices for the players to make up the two teams. This year the names of the two teams have been called after two of the District's notables, Pete Knight and Donnie McFadyen. The composition of the teams, follows:

Pete Knight's Cowboys
Lorne Sharp
Warren Hall
Clarke McMillan
Frank Lippingwell
Lester Hopper
William Amery
George Fleming
William Harrison
Mervin Patmore
Cecil Walker
Keith Bannister
Roger Casey
Manager D. W. Carmichael

Donnie McFadyen's Pucksters
Jack Williams
Jack Fleming
John Carmichael
James Stevens
Earl Hopper
Charles Russell
Allan Sharp
James Harrison
Donald Ryan
Cameron Carmichael
Lloyd Johnson
Percy Griffiths
Percy Blough
Manager, G. Lim
Grounds Committee, Donald Hopper and Charles Hopper

Steps are being taken to get a Midget team formed in the West and one in the East, and also a meeting will be held soon to discuss the choice of uniforms.

Estray

Strayed, on the premises of George Murdoch, Crossfield, N.W. 1-4, 26-28-1 W5th M.

One aged Saddle Horse, with pulled tail, blazed face, white front foot, has been shod on front feet. Branded right shoulder S. Bears also McLean Auction mark No. 22 on hip.

For further information apply to T. Tredaway Secretary, Village of Crossfield.

Children Attention !!!

Considerable damage is being done in the park to trees and shrubbery and anyone caught at the practice will be severely dealt with. A continuance means for the culprits exclusion from the park.

Village Council

Post Office Notice

Owing to change of times in train departures, mails will leave as under commencing Monday, April 27th, 1936.

Northbound, 9:30 a.m. 5:28 p.m.
Southbound, 1:33 p.m. 5:28 p.m.
Post office wickets close at 6 p.m.

Merchants, Businessmen, out and about save for reference.

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Crossfield Meat Market**THIS WEEK'S SPECIALS**

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Fresh Meats:

Local Inspected Beef
Local Produce Our Own Killing
LAMB - VEAL - BEEF
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3 lbs. lean Stew Beef 25c
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